

ACTION MEMORANDUM

OFFICE OF THE DIRECTOR

Action Memorandum No. 125

Date 23 June 1962

TO : Deputy Director (Intelligence)
Assistant Director for National Estimates
SUBJECT : CIA/DIA Task Force on Soviet Military Plans, Capabilities and
Intentions
REFERENCE:

1. On 20 June 1962 the DCI met with Mr. Roger Hilsman who asked that the Department of State be advised of the findings of the referenced Task Force and be given copies of any reports. It is my understanding that this Task Force will report through the USIB, and consequently the Department of State will receive copies in that channel. However, will you please insure that State promptly receives any reports.

2. Would you arrange for bi-monthly reports on the Task Force, its composition, its progress and its future program. I would suggest that this be in the nature of a bi-monthly progress report addressed to the USIB through the DDCI.

(signed) Lyman B. Kirkpatrick

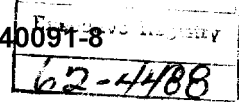
Lyman B. Kirkpatrick
Executive Director

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Ex Dir:



MEMORANDUM FOR: General Carter, DDCI

DDI
and
Dir, NIC

Reference State Department personnel contributions to the National Indications Center, Roger Hilsman stated that he will meet his commitment just as soon as he can secure personnel. This will take a little time and he asked for our indulgence. This I agreed to.

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Dir, ONE -
(this should be
automatic, since
it reports thru
USIB - but
insure it anyway.)

With respect to the CIA/DIA Task Force working on Soviet future military plans, capabilities, and intentions, Hilsman asked that State be advised of the findings of this Task Force and be given copies of any reports. Will you please arrange accordingly?

Also, would you please advise me from time to time as to the composition of this Task Force, its progress and its future program?

Prepare Bi-monthly
report please - through
me

20 June 1962

JOHN A. McCONE
Director

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